JUST, SAYS BERLIN

German Admiralty Statement Declares British Sea Captain a "Hired Murderer."

MUST SUFFER FOR CRIME, ASQUITH ASSURES HOUSE

Kaiser's Government Will Be Punished.

BERLIN, July 31, via London, August 1.-The execution of Capt. Fryatt is declared to have been "obviously legal and right" in a statement given to the Associated Press today by the German admiralty. The statement is a reply to criticism of the execution made by Viscount Grey, the British foreign minlater. It points out that Capt. Fryatt had a professional lawyer to defend him, as the American embassy was informed when it made inquiries at the request of England.

The admiralty holds that England claims for herself a special code of morals and honor in sea warfare which amounts to a reversal of all reason, because it insists that merchantmen have the right to attack submarines without warning while it refuses to concede the same right to submarines Germany is unwilling to submit to that code, which amounts to sacrificing the brave and heroic submarine crews to British pirates and franc-tireurs."

Submarine on the Surface.

Viscount Grey's statement says that admiralty's announcement is consciously designed to mislead the pub-Capt. Fryatt was not attempting to forestall a submarine attack which was made without warning, as the sub-

was made without warning, as the submarine was sailing on the surface and had signaled him to halt, according to the stipulations of international law. Interest the sives of his crew, for they were not endangered.

"On the other hand, Capt. Fryatt allowed the submarine to approach his vessel for the purpose of examining it, and then suddenly and treacherously tried to ram and destroy it, and thus obtain the reward offered by the British government. This was not self-defense, but a treacherous surprise by a hired murderer. He boasted of the deed, which, fortunately, failed in its object.

U-Boat Crew Witnesses.

"Witnesses from the crew of the submarine appeared at the trial and proved the facts in the case. The German courtmartial condemned Capt. Fryatt to death because he committed an act of war against Germany without being enlisted in his country's forces. He was not shot in cold blood and with premeditation, as the British government asserts, but was condemned as a franc-tireur after a formal court trial. "As a court-martial on land protects the soldier of the army against murder by bushwhackers by threatening the death penalty, the same military law protects members of the sea forces from murder at sea. Germany will continue in the future to apply this military law in order that submarine crews may not become the prey of bushwhackers at sea." death because he committed an act of

"Murder," Says Asquith.

LONDON, August 1 .- "It appears to be true that Capt. Fryatt was murdered by the Germans," said Premier Asquith in the house of commons yesterday afton in reply to a question by Sir Edward Carson, leader of the Ulster

"The British government," the premier added, "heard with deep indignation of this atrocious crime against the law of nations and usage of

against the law of nations and usage of war. Coming as it does contemporaneously with the lawless cruelties to the
population of Lille and other occupied
portions of France, it shows that the
German high commands under the
stress of military defeat have renewed
their policy of terrorism.

"It is ,impossible to conjecture to
what further atrocities they may proceed, but the government desires to repeat most emphatically their resolve
when the time comes that these crimes
shall not go unpunished.

Guilt in High Places.

"When the time arrives they are determined to bring to justice the criminals, whoever they may be, and whatever their position. In a case such as this the man who devised the system

nder which the crime was committed may well be the most guilty of all.

"The question of what immediate action should be taken is engaging the earnest attention of the government, and I hope to make an announcement whorth?"

shortly."
Sir Edward Carson suggested that the house should pass a bill making it clear that Great Britain would refuse to admit the German people into the comity of the nations until "such crimes are explated."

Premier Asquith said he would consider the matter.

Fire at Home of Senator Stone. Slight damage was done by fire originating from a defective electric fixture at the home of Senator Stone of Missouri, 3216 Newark street, shortly after 9 o'clock last night. No. 20 engine company and No. 12 truck company went to the house on a local alarm.

Premier Intimates Men High in the Famous German Dermatologist Dies ville, August 1 .- Prof. L. Albert Neisser of Breslau University, the famous dermatologist, died yesterday.

BAND CONCERT.

In Logan Park, Anacostia, this evening at 7:30 o'clock by the Engineer Band, Frank J. Weber,

March, "The Ultimatum". Allen Overture, "Orpheus"...Offenbach Selection, "High Jinks"....Friml Waltz. "Dreams of Childhood, Waldteufel Scenes from Standard Operas, Tobani

a "Southern Patrol"......Voelker b Tone poem, "Apple Blossoms,"
Roberts

Holy City."

One-step, "Hong Kong Gong," Hildreth "Star Spangled Banner."

WAR INSURANCE BUREAU HAS PROFIT OF \$2,000,000

Issues 1.539 Policies, Covering \$138,392,389 in American Cargoes, Since Opening for Business.

The bureau of war risk insurance, established two years ago when the war hibitive point, has made a profit for the government of more than \$2,000,000. It has issued 1,539 policies covering \$138,392,389 on American cargoes and ships carrying non-contraband goods. Figures just compiled show that the gross premiums for insurance issued amounted to \$2,904,866, on which losses have been \$771,329, of which \$58,811

The bureau now has at risk \$12,-REPLIN July 31, by wireless to Say- 325.198. The bureau will expire by limitations September 2, but Secretary McAdoo has indicated that he will ask Congress to extend its life to the war's

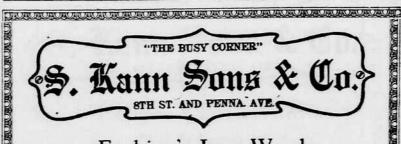
"It has been of incalculable benefit to the business of the country," he said; "has afforded insurance where it was unobtainable from other sources, and has reduced war risk insurance rates generally to a reasonable and equitable basis."

ENGINEER LOSES LIFE.

Atlantic Coast Line Trains Collide, Derailing Locomotive and Tender.

PETERSBURG, Va., August 1 .- Atantic Coast Line passenger train No 63, southbound, collided with a freight train, which partially blocked the main line at the northern end of the railroad trestle spanning the Appomattox river here last night, and the passenger en-gine and tender were hurled over a steep embankmnt at the river's edge. Engineer Trevillian of Richmond was caught beneath his cab and almost instantly killed.

None of the coaches on the passenger train was derailed, and the passengers escaped injury.



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2 Sea Grass Chairs.
Reduced from \$7.95 to...
2 Sea Grass Rockers.
Reduced from \$9.95 to...
2 Sea Grass Rockers
with arms. Reduced from \$9.95 to...
2 Green Reed Rockers.
Reduced from \$4.95 to...
2 Natural Reed Rockers.
3 Natural Reed Rockers. 2 Natural Reed Rockers. Reduced from \$4.45
to.

3 Natural Reed Rockers. Reduced from \$4.95
to.

2 Brown Reed Rockers.
Reduced from \$4.45 to.

2 Hickory Settees.
\$2.23
1 Hickory Chair with
arms. Reduced from \$2.75 to.

1 Hickory Chair with
arms. Reduced from \$4.45 to.

2 Hickory Chair with
arms. Reduced from \$1.38
1 Hickory Tables. Reduced from \$8.95 to.

2 Hickory Tables. Reduced from \$1.95 to.

3 Sets of Three-piece
Hickory Furniture. Reduced from \$1.95 to.

1 Flower Stand. Reduced from \$4.95 to.

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1 Brown Reed Table.
Reduced from \$4.95 to.

3 Sets of Stand. Reduced from \$4.95 to.

4 Reduced from \$4.95 to.

5 Sp. 48

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